

The aim of my diploma thesis is “educational supervision” (supervision of practical training experience) and appreciation of its significance in the process of preparation for future career. In the first part of the thesis I am dealing with definition of supervision in social work and with adumbration of its history, goals and meanings.

Second and the most fundamental part of the thesis is focused on the subject of educational supervision. There is a description of the term educational supervision, context of its implementation in certain fields and a comparison with professional supervision. Also I am dealing with the history of educational supervision, its theoretical background, main goals, and the theme of educational contract and process of educational supervising. The last part of the second chapter is focused on particular methods of learning and assessment.

The third part of the thesis is dealing with a conception of educational supervision in the reality of Czech higher education of social work, the main focus lies in defining the fundamentals of practical training in the process of education of social work students.